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CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET

REGISTRATION AND SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE

Appendix A

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE March 28, 1978

FULL NAME MATTHEW ROBERTS JR
(No initials if you can possibly give full name)

ADDRESS 914 MAIN ST

CITY Worcester STATE Massachusetts ZIP CODE 01610

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE 23 (to be used when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION PROTESTANT NATIONALITY _____

OCCUPATION LABORER

EDUCATION _____

WEIGHT 150 HEIGHT 5'11" RACE CAUCASIAN

COLOR OF HAIR _____ COLOR OF EYES _____

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INJURIES _____

MARRIED OR SINGLE SINGLE CHILDREN NO

WIFE'S NAME _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	OFFICE	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
<u>Troop 11</u>	<u>Worcester</u>	<u>MASS</u>	<u>95 ALFRED ST</u>		

SPECIAL RECOGNITION _____

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June 28, 1978

Mr. Kenneth Kent
Scout Executive
Mohegan Council, No. 254

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Matthew Roberts

Dear Ken:

Thank you for the information concerning the above Scouter. We have reviewed this case with our Attorney and have now placed this man on the Confidential File.

Your efforts in this area are appreciated.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director
Registration & Subscription Service

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KENNETH KENT
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May 9, 1978

Mr. Kenneth Kent
Scout Executive
Mohegan Council, No.254

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL


SUBJECT: George W. MacGregor, Jr.
Matthew Roberts

Dear Ken:

Thank you for the newspaper clipping copies and detailed information concerning the above two Scouters. We are holding this material pending more information.

We would appreciate knowing if these two cases came up in court and what the dispositions were. We will then review this information with our Attorney to determine if evidence is sufficient to support our action of placing these men on the Confidential File.

Sincerely,


Paul H. Ernst, Director
Registration & Subscription Service

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May 9, 1978

Mr. Kenneth Kent
Scout Executive
Mohegan Council, No.254

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Boy Scouts of America

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March 28, 1978

Mr. Paul Ernst
Registration Service
Boy Scouts of America
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

Dear Paul,

Two Scouters, George W. MacGregor, Jr. and Matthew Roberts were arrested on charges of morals offenses. They are registered with Troop and Pack 11 sponsored by South Calvary Baptist Church, Worcester, Ma.

Please remove these 2 names from the registered Scouter file and place them on the confidential list. More information will follow as we become aware of it. News article enclosed.

Cordially,

Ken Kent
Council Executive

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cc: Bob Dorr
Bob Rose
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Worcester Telegram 3/28/78

2 Men Arrested In Morals Cases

Two Worcester men were arrested at about 10:30 last night and charged with morals offenses involving boys from 11 to 14 years of age.

Sgt. Norman H. Dubrule of the Juvenile Division said both men were volunteers with the Boy Scouts of America, Mohagan Council Inc. All the minors involved are Boy Scouts, he said.

Taken into custody by Worcester Police Juvenile authorities were George W. MacGregor Jr., 38, and Matthew Roberts Jr., 23, both of 914 Main St. Both were listed by police as laborers.

MacGregor was charged with 15 morals offenses, and Roberts was charged with 26 morals offenses.

Dubrule said Roberts was an assistant scoutmaster. MacGregor was identified by police as district director of an upcoming Scout show to be

known as the "Wonderful World of Scouting."

Both men were scheduled to be arraigned in Central District Court this morning. Each was held overnight at police headquarters in lieu of \$1,200 bail with surety.

Dubrule said the arrests were the culmination of several weeks of investigation by Policewoman Linda C. Jackson.

Dubrule said the case was initiated as the result of an investigation into the activities of a runaway boy.

Roberts was arrested at his home by Policewoman Jackson and Patrolmen Howard E. Harvey and James M. Shugrue, Dubrule said. MacGregor was taken into custody by the three at Mohagan Council headquarters, 75A Grove St., at the end of a monthly planning meeting for the Scout show, Dubrule said.

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Gazette Photo

Detective Patrolmen Ralph T. Brunelle, left, and Linda C. Jackson, right, escort Matthew Roberts Jr. (second from left) and George W. MacGregor Jr. (second from right) into Central District Court.

Two Scout Leaders Face Morals Charges

Two men police said were affiliated with boy scouting at South Calvary Baptist Church, 949 Main St., were arraigned in Central District Court today on charges of 61 morals offenses involving scouts from 11 to 14 years since September.

George W. MacGregor Jr., 36, of 914 Main St., listed by police as the troop committee chairman, was charged with five counts of rape of a child, 19 counts of committing unnatural acts on a person under 16 and 11 counts of being lewd and lascivious in speech and behavior.

Matthew Roberts Jr., 23, of 914 Main St., listed by police as

an assistant scoutmaster at the troop, was charged with four counts of rape of a child, 14 counts of committing unnatural acts on a person under 16 and 8 counts of being lewd and lascivious in speech and behavior.

Granted Continuances

Both men were granted continuances.

Police said MacGregor was also a district director of an upcoming scout show to be known as "The Wonderful World of Scouting."

Both men listed their occupations as laborers, according to police records.

Officials at the Mohegan Council, Boy Scouts of America, office were unavailable for comment on the arrests today.

Police said both men had been affiliated with the church troop for about two years.

MacGregor was taken into custody last night by Police Juvenile Division detectives at the scout council office, 75A Grove St. Roberts was taken into custody at his home.

Police said the arrests followed an investigation of several weeks by Policewoman Linda Jackson and Juvenile Division detectives. They said the initial investigation started when they checked the activities of a runaway boy.

Scout leaders arrested

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — Two volunteer Boy Scout leaders have been arrested on 61 counts of morals offenses involving scouts aged 11 to 14, police said.

George MacGregor Jr., 36, and Matthew Roberts Jr., 23, who live at the same Worcester address, were held in lieu of \$1,000 bail. They were to be arraigned today in Worcester Central District Court, police said.

Both men worked with youngsters in the Mohegan Council of Boy Scouts of Central Massachusetts. Both listed their occupations as laborers.

MacGregor was charged with five counts of rape, 19 counts of committing unnatural acts with minors and 11 counts of lewd and lascivious acts.

Police said. They said Roberts was charged with four counts of rape, 14 counts of committing unnatural acts with minors and eight counts of lewd and lascivious acts.

Police said the men were arrested late last night after a complaint police received two weeks ago from an unidentified runaway boy. Roberts was arrested in his home and MacGregor was arrested at the Mohegan Council headquarters.

Police Sgt. Norman Dubrule said Roberts was an assistant scout master.

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